

# **World War I letters**

## **S1073**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Rare Books and Manuscripts
<b>Title</b>	World War I letters
<b>Date</b>	1891-1921
<b>Extent</b>	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Text [Folder]</b>	S1073

### Preferred Citation

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## Historical Note

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Although World War I began on July 28, 1914, the United States did not officially enter until 1917. Indiana sent more than 130,000 soldiers to the battlefields, and more than 3,000 of them died. The war ended on November 11, 1918.

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## Scope and Contents

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This collection includes letters, envelopes, and postcards from Indiana soldiers who served in World War I, ranging from 1918 to 1921 regarding their personal experiences during the War.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged chronologically.

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

### Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

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### **Custodial History**

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from John J. Powell on 1933/01/05.

### **Accruals**

No further additions are expected.

### **Processing Information**

Collection processing completed 2015/06/18 by Linda Gellert. EAD finding aid created 2015/06/18 by Linda Gellert.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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### **Geographic Name(s)**

- Indiana

### **Subject(s)**

- Correspondence
- World War, 1914-1918--Military life